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MAUÁ BANK

CALLE CANGALLO, Nos. 101-103.
INTEREST FOR CURRENT MONTH.
IN ACCOUNT CURRENT, SPECIE.
For balances in our favour, ... 13 1/2 per cent.
For balances in favour of Customers, ... 8
IN ACCOUNT CURRENT, PAPER MONEY.
For balances in our favour, ... 12 1/2 per cent.
For balances in favour of Customers, ... 12 1/2 per cent.
Deposits for a fixed term in specie or currency, at conventional interest.
P. P. MAUÁ & CO.,
WILLIAM LESLIE.

MAUÁ BANK

CALLE CANGALLO, Nos. 101-103.
The Offices of this Bank having been removed to the above spacious building, in order to suit the increasing flow of business, the public is informed that the following transactions are carried on in currency and specie in this Bank.
First—Bills and obligations with good signatures are discounted on conventional rates.
Second—Money is advanced on mercantile and other securities approved of by the Manager.
Third—Accounts current are opened for Merchants or other parties who may prefer depositing sundry and transferable securities, against which they may draw up to an amount previously conveyed under conditions established for such class of operations.
Fourth—Money is received in account current, bearing interest from day of deposit, which is accumulated in favor of the parties every three months, the depositors being allowed to retire at any time, by means of cheque, part or the full amount at their wish, save when the quantity exceeds three hundred thousand or one hundred thousand dollars in currency, in which case a forty-eight hours' previous notice is required to be given to the Treasury of the Bank.
Fifth—Bills or letters of credit are drawn and taken on Montevideo, Rosario, Bahia, Rio de Janeiro, Payson, Rio Janeiro, and other places in the Brazil, England and France, as also on other places, of which notice will be given hereafter.
Finally, the Bank undertakes and executes all legitimate transactions within the orbit of banking operations.
The establishment is always open from 9 a.m. till 4 p.m.
P. P. MAUÁ & CO.,
WILLIAM LESLIE.

MONEY ORDERS.

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Drafts are also granted on Moscow, Petrozavodsk, Omsk, and Co., Bankers, LONDON; and on J. H. Moxley and Co., Bankers, LONDON.
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THOMAS B. HALL.

IRELAND.

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Briton Medical General (Incorporated with the United General) Life Assurance Association
Chief Office—WEST STRAND, LONDON, W.C.
Capital—3,000,000. Sterling
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CAPITAL TWO MILLIONS STERLING.
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The ROYAL is remarkable for the promptitude and liberality of its settlements: for the largest life bonuses (25 per cent per annum) ever continuously declared during 15 years by any Co.; for the enormous extent of its transactions, showing £90,000 in new life assurances for 1863, and a fire revenue of £300,000 per annum; for its security, which has given rise to the proverb "as safe as the Royal"; for the accumulated funds in hand, over one million sterling; for its annual income, over half-a-million sterling; and for the correct calculation of its mortality tables. Hence the English press of all countries, including over 50 leading papers, speaks in the highest terms of this company.
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Messrs. H. A. GIBSON and Co. are authorized to issue policies for fire and life, and to receive and pay out, at moderate premiums, the Co. being anxious to extend its foreign business, which already shows an annual revenue of £100,000. Life claims can be settled without reference to England. For further particulars please apply to
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This beautiful new Steamer will leave this for the above Port every Monday at One o'clock in the afternoon.
This is a most desirable convenience for Persons going to Guaqueycho, who are landed there without the inconvenience of being transhipped to other vessels in Fray Bentos.
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First Class ... 10
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Established in this City, insure at moderate premiums all risks by sea, or on the river.
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London, Buenos Ayres, and River Plate Bank (Limited).

80—CALLE DE LA PIEDAD—80.
Capital, 1,000,000 Sterling.
The rates of interest from 1st July, 1864, and further notice, will be as follows, both for Specie and Currency:—
In Account Current.
Allowed ... 6 per cent.
Charged ... 12
Fixed Deposits.
For ninety days ... 7 per cent.
On Deposits subject to thirty days' notice of withdrawal, interest will be allowed at the rate of one per cent. per annum more than the rate for ninety days fixed deposits, rising and falling therewith, the Bank notifying any change in the rate by advertisement in the usual papers.
From the 1st July, 1864, till further announcement, the rate for this class of deposits will be 5 per cent. per annum.
J. H. GREEN, Manager.

DRAFTS AT SIGHT

ON THE
UNION BANK OF IRELAND
PAID BY THE
London, Buenos Ayres, and River Plate Bank.
CALLE DE LA PIEDAD, No. 80.



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Calf Oil, selected, in quart, pint, 1/2, and 1/4 pint.
Calf Tallow, in 2-oz., 4-oz., 8-oz., and 16-oz. bottles.
Cod Liver Oil, finest, Newfound, in quart, pint, and 1/2-pint.
Concentrated Decoction of Sarsaparilla, in quart, pint, and 1/2-pint.
Essences: "Ginger and Peppermint," 1/2, 1, and 2-oz. corked or stoppered bottles.
Fluid Extract of Dandelion, in quart, pint, and 1/2-pint.
Granular Efferves: Citrate of Iron, in quart, pint, and 1/2-pint.
Granular Efferves: Citrate of Magnesia, in quart, pint, and 1/2-pint.
Granular Efferves: Citrate of Quinine, in quart, pint, and 1/2-pint.
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Life Assurance and Saving Fund Association.
FOR THE CREATION OF CAPITALS, LIFE ANNUITIES, INHERITANCES, &c.
Approved by Government and founded in accordance with Law.
Capital subscribed up to June 30th, 1864:
In hand dollars ... 220,110
In paper currency ... 57,000
Inversion of Fund.
Purchase of the House Nos. 214, 216, and 218 Calle Corrientes.

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Antonio Marco del Pont.
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4th. To a proportion in the gains from investment of capital.
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1st. To compound interest on such capital.
2nd. To a proportion of the interest and premium on those who die.
3rd. To a proportion of the interest and premium of forfeited shares.
4th. To a proportion of gains from investment of capital.
Capitals with Compound Interest.
Deposits for the creation of capitals will be received, to be returned at any given period.
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The currency of Buenos Ayres received on the same conditions as specie.
Life Annuities.
Capitals received to be paid out in life annuities.
Subscriptions to any of the sections, whether specie or currency may be made in bulk, or monthly, quarterly, half yearly, or yearly.
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FIRE & LIFE ASSURANCE COMPANY.
CAPITAL—£2,000,000.
Established 1851, and empowered by special Act of Agents for Buenos Ayres, Montevideo, and River Plate.
DRAIDALE BROTHERS & CO.,
CALLE PIEDAD 12.

La Zingera and Ictria.

All Parties indebted for passage money to the above-mentioned ships are requested to call at my Office and pay their passage, within two months from this date, otherwise a special order will be given by Government to the Sheriff of Justice of Peace to remit into Buenos Ayres all defaulters.
J. D. WILKS, Calle Mayo.

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The Standard.

WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 12, 1864.

"Nil falsi audiam, nil veri non audiam dicere."

Cicero.

EDITOR'S TABLE.

The latest we have from the camp is, that down about Ranchos it has been snowing. On last Friday the country in that partido was all white, but as none of the flocks about there have been shorn as yet, the cold storm has done no harm.

The camps south of Samborombon are greatly in need of rain, and down near Azul we are assured that the estancieros are obliged to drive their cattle farther out, owing to the scarcity of water and grass.

A very serious charge has been sent to us against one of the city policemen. Unfortunately we failed to obtain a sufficient guarantee to justify us in accusing the vigilante; but as the matter is greatly talked about, we trust Sr. Cazon will have some inquiry made into the case.

It appears a drunken sailor was making some disturbance on the beach the other day; the vigilante came up on the fellow, drew his sword and commenced beating him with it; finally he determined to march him off to the Policia, but the other refused: the finale was that the unfortunate man got his head split open, and fell into one of the holes on the beach and got drowned. Now if this is true, it is really monstrous.

Our colleague, the 'Nacion' adverted to the case the other day, and stated it required no comment; but we think very differently, and request that the Police sift the matter. We want a coroner badly in Buenos Ayres.

Forged paper money is getting so current through town that it is difficult to distinguish the bad from the good; even so low as one dollar bills we have seen. We understand that this false paper money is manufactured in Montevideo, and sent up to Buenos Ayres and the river towns for circulation.

Things in San Nicolas are getting worse and worse. The 'Nacion Argentina' of yesterday states the printing office of the newspaper which publishes the most scandalous libels, not only on the respectable men of the town but even the ladies of the place, is in the barrack of the National Guards. This is too great a scandal to be tolerated, and we hope the Minister will put a stop to it.

Owing to the non-attendance of some of the Provincial deputies, the discussion of the Government projects to redeem the paper had to be postponed, as there was not a quorum in the House.

We have to thank a North countryman for the interesting details we published yesterday respecting the Indian invasion. We hope all those who propose settling on or near the frontier line will read them. From what we can learn respecting the state of the troops stationed to keep back the Indians, we would as soon advise our readers to jump into the River Plate as to buy or rent land near the frontier: the soldiers, we are told, are without pay; at day-time they act as peons for their enterprising commanders, and at night-time, in order to make a few dollars for themselves, they have to work in panaderias, &c. Now, we truly believe that one of the greatest curses a nation has to endure is to be obliged to support a lazy, idle soldiery! They should be all taught to work, but there should be a method in the system: the frontier soldiers should build their own fortresses, and have little farms allotted to them to cultivate, the produce of which should be their own; but we protest against introducing the negro slavery system: the soldiers should be paid their wages, made to work for themselves, and fight for the country. We caution all our readers against going near the frontier for the present.

Latest intelligence from Azul is to be effect, that there is a cacique down

there who is renting lands to several native estancieros. The Indian guarantees the Christians their cattle, and charges about the same rent as the Government. Our informant states that the tenants of this cacique are quite contented, and feel themselves better protected than when on Government land; now they never lose a cow, mare, or sheep. We could not find out the cacique's name, but some 'agrimensor,' who went by order of the Government to survey the lands out there, narrowly escaped, the cacique and his tenants having chased him.

A friend of ours, who has a square league of camp for sale, has requested us to mention the fact in our editor's table, as the land is very superior and the price extremely moderate. If we had the paper dollars we would buy it ourselves. Any one who wants to buy a really nice bit of ground cheap, ought to go at once to 43, Calle Piedad, and get all particulars.

The Paraguay steamer arrived yesterday, but instead of soldiers and officers, as our colleagues expected, brought down yerba, cotton, and tobacco. The news will be found in another column.

We have to acknowledge the receipt of two hundred dollars mje, from a generous foreigner, for the injured Mrs. Zambianchi. We hope to collect something more on behalf of this unfortunate widow.

The benefit which will come off on Friday evening at Colon for the orchestra, promises to be a great success. Nearly all the boxes are taken, and we have a few seats in the pit on sale, as a musical friend of ours brought us some tickets to dispose of. The members of the orchestra are very deserving, and really merit a good benefit.

Another murder has taken place at a pulperia in the Fortin de Areco; the assassin, we understand, has escaped, but the alcaldes are looking for him.

The absorbing topic amongst our leading politicians is the seizure of a valuable island in front of Paysandú. Leandro Gomez says it is Oriental territory, and will hold it. We suppose Admiral Maturate will be sent to look after it before the Orientals walk away with it or sell it.

On Tuesday next there will be another meeting at the rooms at the Circulo Literario. We have not heard for what object, but believe Dr. Rawson will read a paper. We are happy to say that this society is rapidly progressing, and the 'Revista de Buenos Ayres' is now its organ.

The Provincial Government has sent in a very important note to the House of Legislature, respecting the extension of the Western Railway to Chivilcoy. It appears, beyond all doubt, that the road will be finished to Mercedes by Christmas, and Minister Dominguez very properly suggests the importance of continuing the road to Chivilcoy, which he states is the only place in the province that can be called a grain-growing district. We agree with the Minister in the importance of extending the road to Chivilcoy, as it will save thousands of bushels of maize from rotting in the fields, as every year is the case, owing to the enormous freights charged by the cartmen when the roads are bad.

Saturday next, we understand, is the day fixed to enter horses for the English races. We hope our turf-loving friends will not forget this.

The new steamer Rio del Plata was crowded with visitors yesterday, she is a magnificent vessel, and has 250 berths. We are told she resembles the unfortunate Mississippi.

The Mersey is expected to-morrow with 15 days later news from Europe.

The Paraguayan steamer Paraguari will leave this evening for Montevideo. She takes passengers.

The Corrientes will take a supplemental French mail on Thursday evening at four o'clock.

OUR RAILWAYS.

The works of the Argentine Central Railway are steadily progressing. We published yesterday the list of subscribers to the stock of this Company, sent to us by the local board of Directors; since, however, that list was made up we are glad to say several hundred more shares have been subscribed for. We feel confident, therefore, that the original number of shares allotted to the Argentine Republic by the Com-

pany will be fully subscribed for, and it is worthy of note that the holders of these shares, as a general rule, have purchased them more for an investment than a speculation, this road being regarded by all parties with peculiar favor, and destined yet to be the grandest and best enterprise in the provinces. Several applications have been made to Mr. Wheelwright with a view to purchase the lands conceded by the Government, but, as far as we can learn, he declines entering into any arrangement at present. These lands will yet prove a mine of wealth to the Company. Previous to the commencement of this line, or the organization of the Company, lands in Santa Fé were unlooked for and at a most insignificant figure, parties preferring Buenos Ayres, Banda Oriental, or Entré Rios, but, owing, as it were, to an apparent combination of circumstances, public attention suddenly deviated from these provinces, and now Santa Fé is the El Dorado of the Republic.

We cannot too highly praise the unceasing efforts of Messrs. Crawford and Rumball to push ahead the works of the Buenos Ayres Great Southern Railway. These indefatigable laborers are at work night and day, and the result is that the road is progressing with the most astonishing rapidity. The engine is now running up and down the line with materials, etc, the massive bridge over the Riachuelo is being constructed, half of the lighters of the port are discharging railway iron for the Company. The great solidity of the works already constructed attract universal attention, and Messrs. Peto & Betts enjoy a reputation as railway contractors second to none in the River Plate.

The Boca Railway, which is a line that attracts, comparatively speaking, slight attention, is rapidly progressing. The engineer and contractor are constantly at work, the rails are laid for more than half the way, and the rolling stock is expected out from England towards the beginning of the new year.

The Northern Railway is doing a very good business, and we understand will shortly be handed over by the contractors to the Company. The Legislature is occupied with a project for extending this road to Zarate, which is an important river town, and we believe there is every disposition on the part of the Government to accord a guarantee of seven per cent. on the capital invested.

The Western Railway will be finished to Mercedes by Christmas, and the Minister has asked of the Legislature permission to extend it to Chivilcoy. This Company will be sold to some foreign Company or capitalist, in pursuance of the law to be passed for that purpose. Meanwhile the Government seems anxious to have the line out as far as Chivilcoy before the time for presenting the bids arrives.

The concessionaire of the Argentine Eastern Railway has at last overcome all legislative difficulties. The law granting the concession and guarantee has passed, and Mr. Finlayson, who is the agent for the projector leaves to-day per Saintonge.

Only a few years ago not an inch of railroad was laid in this country, and now we have seven railway Companies under weigh. Still, we have much to do in the way of Railroads. We extract the following from the U. S. Census Report of 1861, to show what that country did in railways in ten short years of peace.

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The ten shareholders from 100 upwards have 4,210, or half the total number; whereas the subscribers under five, numbering 444 (out of 740 names), do not hold an aggregate equal to the single subscription of General Urquiza (1,000), and the Maná Bank has more shares than the last 244 subscribers. There are four private individuals for 100 shares each, of whom two reside in B. Ayres and two in Córdoba. It may be estimated that one-half of the stock is taken by foreign residents, since the English and Germans, including the two banks, make up 1,255 shares.

Since the list was sent us for publication we hear of many more shares being allotted in the remote upper provinces; for instance, 30 in Catamarca, and we may safely anticipate that by six months not one will remain on Mr. Wheelwright's hands out of the 10,000 allotted for the Argentine Republic. If we remember rightly the contractors hold 10,000, and divers London capitalists 30,000, making up the total of 50,000 shares, or one million pounds sterling. Taking the population of the republic at a million in round numbers, the inhabitants have contributed one silver dollar each, and this magnificent enterprise will invert a pound sterling for every inhabitant. This does not include a reserve of 30,000 shares, or £600,000, making up the full written capital, and which will probably be never required.

The land-grant to the Company of 170 leagues is equal to 1,530 square miles, which at the European ratio can support a population of 300,000 persons, and these according to Argentine taxation would increase the national revenue by over two millions silver dollars, per annum.

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and the chimney, as we said, 35 feet in height: it was much shaken by an earthquake and had to be bound up with clamps of iron. In the furnace there are 90 tons of iron employed and yet it was set up in a single day by an English mechanic: on the right is a heap of sticks for fuel, which is fortunately abundant in the locality.

No. 3. The entrance to the works. This shows a part of the incomplete buildings, and is rather a family group, Major Rickard and his lady being in the foreground, and a little apart Mr. Hewitly. On the right is one of the master-operatives, and on the left two of the killers in uniform, with their rifles. Behind rises the naked rock of the wild sierra, giving quite a romantic air to the strange scene and English group before us.

Persons wishing to inspect these pictures may call at any hour to-day.

THE PARAGUAY MAILS.

The Paraguari steamer arrived yesterday with files of the 'Semanario' from Asunción to the 1st inst. The review of the past month narrates at some length the popular manifesto of the 12th, when the citizens en masse presented themselves to General Lopez in strenuous approbation of his note to the Brazilian Minister announcing that Paraguay was ready at all cost to maintain the equilibrium of the River Plate republics, and resist the threatened Brazilian invasion of Banda Oriental. Since then the tone has become still more warlike, the arsenal has redoubled its activity in casting bronze field-pieces, the discipline at Cerro León encampment is repeated daily.

Meantime the material progress of the country goes forward without interruption. The telegraph posts are laid down for 30 miles on the first route, from Asunción to Cerrito, in the direction of Tres Bocas at the extremity of the Corrientes frontier on the Parana. The railway works are concluded to the Cerro de Paraguari, 12 miles beyond Pirayú, and 50 from the capital, and the line will be opened to traffic so far on the 1st of November. The news from the country parts is cheering, the crops looking well, industry progressing in spite of the heavy military levies, and the roads covered with trains of waggons carrying produce to Asunción. The port of the capital is also crowded with small shipping discharging yerba, tobacco &c. from the riverine districts. We observe that Sor Bermejo, late editor of the 'Semanario,' is now London correspondent for that paper. The English Grammar-school of Barracas is advertised in the same columns.

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Foremost here in hospitality and enlightened conversation are two men, one our Consul Hutchinson, the other the former proprietor of the 'Ferro-Carril,' nor must the Rosario branch of Duguid & Co. be forgotten: who has visited this town without receiving their warm grasp of welcome?

Of the river I can say but little: it reminds me of the Ganges or the Bhramā-Putre during the monsoon, when the Creator, remembering the wants of his creatures, sends water to support life — casting the snows of Iym-Malli (necklace of snow, coronet of ice — cold glance of a loved one) over the face of the land, to give joy and hope to the sons of toil. It is a fearful sight to see — the majesty of mighty waters sweeping away towns, populations, and riches, fabulous to the mind of a son of La Confederacion Argentina. Little did the paper-cigar-smoker of the Pavon, of yesterday think, or care, from whence the great river called Parana came? Had I told him it was in its beginning but a drop of melted snow, he would have laughed at my beard. Laugh on, my Argentine friend, and leave knowledge to the stranger.

Where is Captain Bruce — type of civility, accommodation and comfort on the Parana? The steamer of yesterday was crowded with three times the number of passengers she could provide for. She was not the Pavon of former times. I took quiet possession of a sofa, but at eleven o'clock I was aroused by a Porteno, who said I was squatting on his estancia. "Bueno," said I, at the same time putting my carpet-bag more comfortably under my head, as I wished him "buenas noches hasta mañana, Señor." What he may have said afterwards, non me recordor. I went to sleep, leaving that angry man cursing me in an unknown tongue.

Yours, "ERIN."

P.S.— Next letter will be devoted to the new railway here, the town, its present appearance and trade, the camps (Wheelwright's concession), and the trip hence to Córdoba.

AWFUL TRAGEDY.

The following facts deserve the attention of the authorities:—

It is said that about five days ago a poor idiotic man went down to the beach, and in presence of a number of washerwomen attempted to commit suicide by dipping his head in the pools in that locality. It was more a farce than anything else, as the women only laughed at him, when their laughter was soon turned into horror, on the arrival of a 'vigilante,' who immediately ordered the man to quit the place. High words arose between them, and the cholera of the guardian of the peace began to increase, with the obstinacy of the unfortunate man: at length, to put a stop to all dispute, he drew a pistol and put it to the breast of the man, but the cries of the women (who put their hands to their eyes and screamed) prevented him from pulling the trigger. Again he attempted to force him away, and I suppose some tussling must have taken place, as the 'vigilante' drew his sword and laid the man dead at his feet: his skull was split in two, and the corpse remained until yesterday where it had fallen. These facts were related to a friend of mine by a woman who was present at the scene, and who stated that the murderer came yesterday, accompanied by some other 'vigilantes,' and removed the body. The pool where he had fallen into was discolored with his blood, and blood oozed from the wound as the body was being removed. If these facts are true, surely the authorities ought not to remain asleep in the matter.

[Guaranteed].

REGION OF TERROR.

Partido de Paysandú, Oct. 5.

To the Editors of the 'Standard.' Gentlemen,

Business is looking very dull here. One day the 'Colorados,' and the other day the 'Blancos,' are visiting our splendid estancias, and unfortunately never without leaving some rather disagreeable traces, either in murdering or wounding fellow-countrymen, which you daily find in the camp on your usual trip to visit the most approximate 'puestos.' For the sake of a pair of boots, a poncho, or something else, nearly every one of those d—d 'Blancos' are willing to cut your throat.

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The other day—some 40 'Blancos' paid us a visit. They took away all our horses, and when I begged of them to leave at least some of them for the use of the establishment, they drew their large knives, and said "they wished every 'gringo' to the devil." Then they broke all the 'alambre' of our 'portero,' which is more or less two leagues, destroyed our splendid 'quinta,' which was admired by all our neighbours, and when they went away they left five horses (manzanas) not fit for use.

It is really too bad. During the last six weeks we have not been able to get any provisions from town, such as yerba, &c., and our peons are grumbling, but what can we do?

It is said that the Brazilian troops are in our neighbourhood, and that they intend to help Flores. On the other hand, it is said that Paraguay and Don Justo are on the side of the 'Blancos.' At all events, it looks rather suspicious, and the 'Blancos' are recruiting all they can, Porteños, Entrerianos, &c. Nobody now is respected.

We really do not know what to do, for if we have no horses, it is impossible to take care of our sheep, and in particular of our cattle.

I remain, yours, &c.,

MONTEVIDEO.

Sunday's papers contain the following—

The rebel troops under Caraballo have begun sheep-stealing by wholesale in the districts of Canelones and Montevideo, having carried off or killed 39,720 animals: the only English loser is Mr. Henry Jones, 820 sheep.

The examinations of the Plata college (girls) was to take place on Sunday at Solis theatre, and a large attendance of citizens was expected. On the same day the officers of 1st. batt. of N. Guards were to give a grand banquet to their Colonel. The 'Plata' publishes a list of 32 men passed over from Caraballo's forces, to join the Government army under Saá. The opera Co. has again revivied, and advertise to perform Traviata on Tuesday evening for benefit of the Poor Asylum.

The Tevere made an excursion on Sunday to the Spanish fleet: the guests were very kindly received on board the Berenguela, Admiral McMahon's flagship, but could not reach the Blanca owing to rough weather.

An Italian youth named Faini, only 15 years of age, who was captured by Saá, and condemned to be shot, has been pardoned, through the intervention of Count Barbolani, on condition of returning to Italy. The post office authorities announce that the mail-bags of Artigas, Cerro Largo, and Tacuarembó were broken open by the rebels.

Latest accounts from Canelones represent that place free from filibusters, and the Government troops are in possession of Piedras. Dr. Diogenes Urquiza arrived from Buenos Ayres per Tevere, but it is said he is no longer better of political treaties or projects.

A shocking case of infanticide occurred near the gas house. The infant was found with a severe wound as of a knife, and a large stone placed on its chest: the inhuman mother has not been found. The "Fairy," (now "Pera del Uruguay,") sails under the Oriental flag, and it is to be hoped, will not again expose herself to be treated as a pirate.

We read of a grand tertulia given lately by the inhabitants of Salto to the English and French naval officers. The Kepler is to leave Montevideo to-day (Wednesday) for Liverpool.

THE PROGRESS OF DENTAL SCIENCE.

No department of practical science or of operative art has made such signal progress within the last few years as that connected with the preservation, beautifying, and restoration of the teeth. Not only do we observe the success with which modern manipulation has remedied and averted all kinds of malformations in the young, but we see decay arrested in the onset, all its evil consequences securely prevented, and that most provoking of pains, the tooth-ache, provided against by the simplest mechanical means, and without one of those mischievous drugs which our forefathers have been accustomed to fly to in their agony, to the utter destruction of what remained sound. We owe a large share of modern improvements to Messrs. GABRIEL, the celebrated Dentists of London, Liverpool, and Birmingham, who show some exquisite specimens of workmanship at the International

Exhibition. The white enamel stopping is proved to be faultless, whilst the most beautiful imitation of the natural gums and teeth, is the only substance which is entirely free from noxious elements, coloring matters, and of which the adhesion is at the same time secured without any mechanism whatever. We are glad to hear that Messrs. GABRIEL very courteously throw their laboratories open to public and gratuitous inspection.—As may be seen by reference to our Advertising Column, Messrs. Gabriels supply Artificial Teeth and Gums on their patented system irrespective of distance or climate.

CESSATION OF EMIGRATION.

The vast tide of emigration which has for so long a period flowed ceaselessly from our shore has at length almost subsided. The fine steam vessels which the last place was usually filled now depart all but empty. The large crowd who daily clamoured for passages have disappeared. So great has been the decrease of numbers, that the emigration agents have reduced their charges considerably, in the vain hope of resuscitating their trade. The charge for steerage passengers has been reduced by the Iman Company from seven guineas to five guineas, and by Messrs. Cummins, Brothers, to six guineas nominally. It is expected that before a month elapses the rate will be as low as £3 10s per head. A plentiful harvest at home, and the absence of inducement to the other side of the Atlantic, appear to have acted powerfully and quickly in changing the destiny of many of our countrymen.—*Cork Daily Reporter.*

FOREIGN ITEMS.

The succession claims of Prince Frederick William of Hesse are already known from the letter which that Prince addressed to the London Conference through Earl Russell. It will be recollected that he only renounced his claim to the Crown of Denmark and the countries attached to the kingdom in favour of his sister, the wife of King Christian IX., upon condition of the integrity of Denmark being respected. The condition not having been fulfilled, Prince Frederick William considers his renunciation no longer valid. For this reason the Prince has addressed a memorial to the German Diet, setting forth his claim as the nearest legitimate heir to the Danish Crown, and the Duchy of Lauenburg, and he has called upon the Federal Assembly to recognise his right, to place the government of the Duchy in his hands, and to permit him to select a plenipotentiary with a seat and a vote in the Federal Assembly.

A semi-official Prussian paper denies that arrangements have been made between the Great Powers in reference to the interim government of the Duchies, and explains that the delay in commencing the negotiations has arisen from the difficulty of arranging the financial questions between the two countries.

Advices from Copenhagen speak of continued depression of the national patriots of Denmark, but say also that there is a growing desire amongst many persons to live hereafter at peace with Germany. With regard to the future, the *Dagbladet* looks upon the peace agreed to as one of the greatest calamities which could have befallen Denmark. It cannot, however be prevented, and the journal in question therefore urges the Danes to direct all their actions towards the future, in the hope that they may one day be able to liberate their Danish brethren in Schleswig.

A Copenhagen paper says it is reported in that capital that the Prince and Princess of Wales will visit the Danish Royal family in September and that Prince Alfred will visit Iceland and return to England at the commencement of the next month.

Several Poles have been convicted of an attempt on the life of General Berg. The extreme sentence of the law was carried out upon one of them, and the others have received sentences varying from twelve to 20 years' hard labour in the mines.

Despatches from Constantinople declare that the Sultan and his advisers are struck with the equity and justice of the Emperor Napoleon's decision concerning the Suez Canal difficulty. The Emperor (they say) on this occasion has displayed his accustomed discrimination in his arbitration as regards the company, the Viceroy of Egypt, and the Sultan.

The mails from India, China, Australia, and New Zealand have arrived, but they contain little that is interesting. In those countries, peace now reigns, China excepted, and even there the conflict between the Imperial forces and the Chinese rebels appears for a season to be suspended. In India the festival of Juggernaut, with its demoralising effect and even its human sacrifices, has again been held.

Accounts received from Vienna up to the 14th instant state that the negotiations for peace had not then commenced, the Danish Ambassadors professionally waiting for orders from their Government. The Paris correspondent of the *Daily Telegraph* attributes the delay to the wish of King Christian for a few days' respite to calm the excitement of his subjects, which is said to be excessive and to threaten danger to the State; but it is believed the definitive negotiations for peace will begin on Saturday next.

In deference to the desire of the Federal Diet relative to the justification of his claim to the succession to the sovereignty of the Duchies, the Prince of Augustenburg has agreed that a memo-

randum should be drawn up setting forth the grounds of his claim. It has been stated in several German papers that the Prince has been requested to leave the country, but advices from Hamburg represent those rumours to be altogether unfounded.

ON 'CHANGE.

Oct. 11, 1864.
Paper price of ounces, 458½.
Patacons opened at 28 55, and closed at 28 65.
Cash sales, 42,866.

TIME SALES.

For Thursday,	4,000	28 75
Saturday,	26,964	28 60
Oct. 31st,	5,600	28 50
Nov. 30th,	3,000	28 40
Dec. 31st,	2,000	28 55½
31st,	15,000	28 35
Total sales,	150,800.	

National Bonds—\$11,000 at 41½.
6,500 40
Specie was extremely firm to-day, with an upward tendency, which was attributed to the demand for gold to pay for exchange, and also for shipping purposes. We are informed that £30,000 goes to Rio in the Saintonge besides some silver in Bolivianos.

The communicated article in yesterday's 'Pueblo' was greatly talked about on 'change. As every statement contained in that article was wholly inexact and incorrect, many wondered that the editor allowed such a document room in its columns. The whole nature of the Buschental business was explained yesterday, so our readers are in possession of the real facts of the case, and no person connected with the Bolsa could have been so ignorant of the transaction in question as to suppose that Sr. Buschental was raising ten millions of currency on hypothecated securities to hand over to the Oriental Government. The whole article in question is so replete with absurdities that it does not merit even a contradiction.

The meeting of the San Juan Mining Company was held at the hour appointed, and we understand well attended. The Secretary has not favoured us with a minute of the proceedings as yet; it appears however that it was resolved that the company should be dissolved, and the shareholders accept the offer made by Mr. Rickard. Few of the shareholders seem pleased at the sequel of this joint stock company.

The news from Paraguay was not known on the Bolsa before the closing hour. It appears that Paraguay is making every preparation for a war, and the Minister of Foreign affairs has received despatches from Sr. Berges.

The Tevere, from Montevideo, brought up about ten thousand patacons in specie.

There was a brisk business in Exchange to-day, and the rate varied sensibly; one leading house drew £10,000 at 49, and smaller sums were done at 49½. Takers are becoming very fastidious about signatures.

It is worthy of note, that specie shipped per Saintonge, is delivered at the Bank of England at precisely the same charge as that of the Southampton line. This seems strange, but we are assured, on the best authority, that it is a fact.

COLON THEATRE.

Extraordinary Performance
On FRIDAY 14th of October, 1864,
For the benefit of the Orchestra of Colon Theatre.
Who will be assisted by the Orchestras of the Victoria and Argentine Theatres.
DER FREISCHUTZ.
In an interval the three orchestras will perform the symphony of the opera of **WILLIAM TELL.**

For Montevideo.

The Paraguayan Steamer 'Paraguari' will leave on Wednesday the 12th inst. (to-day) at 5 o'clock p.m.

FARES
Cabin 6 patacons
Steage 3

For further particulars apply to the Agents E. YOGEL & Co. Cuyo 32.
1p o12.

Photographic Albums.

A tremendous assortment of elegant Photographic Albums, both French, English and German. From 20 to 200 Photographs are to be found at the Libreria del Plata Calle San Martin No. 28. Also many English Books on hand.

Interesting to Sheep Farmers.

For sale, Laths for Sheep corrals of 14 and 16 feet long and a fine assortment of Pine of all sizes.
Apply Corralon Calle Venezuela No. 317.
4p o12

Foreign Amateur Racing Society.

A Committee meeting will be held on Saturday evening next (the 15th inst.) at 7 o'clock punctually at No. 7 Calle 25 de Mayo.
4p o12

Se Venden.
Campos y Estancias pobladas con existencias en propiedad al Norte, Centro y Sur de esta Campaña.
1800 varas de frente por 2 leguas de fondo, entre la Capilla del Señor y Zarate con aguada permanente, 4700 id por 14 id de id. en San Pedro con id id, 1667 id por 14 id de id en Arceñes con id id, 13 leguas en el Azul con id id, 3 id en Tapalquen con id id, 3 id en Pilacon id, 2 id en la Laguna de los Padres, 1 id en Arceco, 1 id cuadrada en Las Flores (por tener que ausentarse el dueño del país), 200 varas de frente por 3000 de fondo en Zarate, 1062 id de id por 3700 id en San Borombon, 1500 id de id por 1858 de id en la Villa de Luxan, frente a la Estación del Ferro-carril.

También en las Provincias de Santa Fé, Corrientes, Entre-Ríos y Corrientes con buenos títulos.
85 manzanas en Matanzas propias para chacras, 100 id en Zarate id id, 1 Chacra en Quilmes, 1 Quinta en San José de Flores, (esta última se permuta por hacienda).

Se compra y se vende hacienda, Objeas y Capones. También se arriendan campos en la Loberia, Las Flores y Camarones.

En enfiteusis. 2 leguas en Junin, 2 id en el Bragado, 3 id en Las Flores, 1 id en el Saladillo, 3 id en Rojas pobladas y con mil objeas mas o menos.

Los que se interesen ocurran calle Rivadavia 428 (altos) por la mañana hasta las once y de las 4 adelante.
o12 15p

FOR SALE.

The River Plate packing House Co have for sale.

Prime mess beef.

Mess beef.

Prime beef.

Beef rounds.

Peef tongues.

These articles are pickled and put up in 200 lbs. barrels.

Also beef tongues smoked.

Mutton Hams.

Fresh beef and mutton in cans.

hermetically sealed.

These articles will be sold by the single package or cargo, suitable for exportation and are warranted in every respect and equal to any put up in any part of the world.

Our articles are offered to the Public backed by no gold or silver medal. They are prepared by no secret process, but are put up on plain scientific principles acquired by years of study and practical experience with grass fed beef in a climate in every way inferior to that of Buenos Ayres.

The articles we offer are nothing but such as are usually prepared in North America (and in no way inferior) and known and used by the whole commercial world and are sold with a full guarantee upon their own merits.

MORRIS & BOYD, proprietors.

o11 1m.

AUCTION SALE.

By MARIANO BILLINGHURST, At his house, Potosi, No. 78, of 27 rams and 25 ewes of the Negrette breed, just landed from on board the brig William Anthony from Hamburg, consigned to Messrs. Geo. Rick & Co.

On Friday, 14th inst., at 11 o'clock a.m., will positively be sold to the highest bidder the above mentioned rams and ewes, from the best flocks of Germany.
oct11 3p

OLDEN BEEF.

Gold Medal, London 1862.
Lots of this excellent article, fresh beef, are offered for sale, for samples. Bales of mutton with the ribs, and boneless beef; they are half-sweet, being prepared during summer, and of excellent quality, far superior to meat in barrels. Preserved mutton will be exported for Brazil, and both mutton and beef for ultra-marine ports. After being six or eight hours in water it is fit for use.

Although fat cattle are at present dear, samples are submitted to the public, at the request of influential parties: nine bales are already shipped for France and Belgium.

Lots of beef have arrived at Cadiz in good condition, for samples; and although it does not keep as well as the dried beef, it is a very good article.

It is on sale at 97 Calle Peru and 35 Paseo Julio (Sor. Ramayon). 6p o8.

Photographs.

There is a large collection of Photographs of Native Celebrities, as also of all the principal Military, Political, Ecclesiastical, Scientific, and Artistic Celebrities of Europe, single and in groups; as also Photographs of all the principal Monuments and Buildings of the Place. Also Mythological Pictures. Libreria del Plata, San Martin No. 28.
o8 3p

To Sheep Farmers and Others.

To be sold cheap a large quantity of wrought Iron Posts for Corals drilled for three wires, the posts weigh ten pounds each. Samples may be seen at the Timber Yard of Bianchi Brothers and Sassi, corner of Lima and Comercio. Also for sale a Compact Portable Steam Engine on wheels, seven horse power; to be seen at the above Corralon where all information may be obtained or of Mr. John Hardy, Engineer Paseo Julio.
1m o12 w d

To Let.

Four or five rooms in a pleasant situation in the suburbs, and in an English family at the north end of the city, 4 squares from the Retiro Station.
Apply at 205 Maypu.
o12 6p

To Let.

A furnished Room, with service, in Venezuela Street 239.
o12 3p

Furnished Apartments.
To be let at 86 Calle Parque, 3 comfortable furnished Bedrooms, or a sitting Room and Bedroom as may be convenient.
3p o12

On Sale.

One square league of camp situated between Areco and Fortín de Areco. No better camp for sheep to be had. For further information apply to Calle Rivadavia No. 43 from 8 a.m. to 4 p.m.

House and Garden to Let.

The house contains many rooms, the garden plenty of fruit trees, also grapevines, etc. The owner will permit the tenant to establish a barraca, lumberyard, or any other commercial establishment; to make such improvements on the premises as he finds convenient for his business; will contract the premises for a number of years. By applying at No. 218 calle Belgrano all necessary information can be obtained.
3p o7

At the West End.

To Let one of the new houses in Calle Sanpacha opposite the Socorro Church; contains Drawing-room, Dining-room, seven Bed-rooms, Kitchen; two Patios and Garden, Algabe, Gas in the principal rooms, all in first-rate order. Apply at No. 120 Calle Piedad.
3p o6.

Quinta to Let.

Within five minutes' walk of the Palermo Station, with large and commodious rooms at a reasonable rent. For particulars apply at the Confitaria del Aguila, Florida 92.
o9, 6p

Wanted a Housemaid.
Calle Victoria No. 85. 3p o12

Wanted.
A young woman as Cook or Housemaid at 359 Calle Peru. 3p o12

Wanted.
A good Cook at 476 Calle Piedad. A good Salary will be given 3p o12

Wanted.
A good Cook. Apply at 110 calle Parque. 6p o12

Wanted.
A smart English or Irish Boy for house service at 884 calle Parque. 3p o12

Wanted.
A woman to act as general servant in a small English family. Apply at 234 calle Artes. 3p o12

Wanted.
A young man thoroughly conversant with the English and Spanish languages, and general notions of book-keeping, offers his services as assistant book-keeper or general clerk in a Mercantile House. The best of references can be given. Apply by letter to W. 'Standard' office. 3p o9

Nurse.
A lady returning to England and coming back again between April and May, and in want of an experienced Nurse will find a suitable person by addressing A. B. 'Standard' office. 3p o8

Wanted.
An active young man—foreigner preferred—for the post of Custom House Clerk in an importing house. Only those who have a thorough knowledge of the custom house in every respect should apply, provided with good references. Please direct answer, B. B., Standard Office. 5p o7

Wanted.
A Young Man, lately come to this country, seeks a situation as Waiter or Steward in an English family. References can be given. Apply, A. Standard Office. 3p o6

Wanted.
A smart Girl, just arrived, wishes employment as Housemaid, or would take charge of children. First-class references. Apply 66, Calle Piedad. 3p o6.

Visiting Tutor.
A graduate of Edinburgh University, who has had 18 years' experience in teaching Classics, Mathematics, and other branches of a thorough English education, is open to an engagement of two hours daily, either in Buenos Ayres or Belgrano. He has been very successful with difficult pupils. Address "Sigma," Standard office. 6p o5

Wanted.
For a chaera, within six leagues of town, a married couple: the man to work on shares, the wife to cook. Apply at Calle Chacabuco, No. 376. s30 12p

Negrette Rams and Ewes.

B. Nazar will sell by public sale at his house, Calle Victoria, No. 154, a lot of 30 Rams and 33 Ewes, pure Negrette breed, selected from one of the best establishments of Pomerania, and just landed from on board of the Russian brig Helios, consigned to Messrs. Deetjen and Co.
The Sale will take place on Wednesday, the 12th inst., at 11 o'clock.
5p o7.

Splendid Land to Rent.

There are two leagues of fine land to let for 8 years in the Magdalena Partido. The flocks at present on the land will be sold or not, to meet the convenience of the tenant.

Those who may feel interested in the above can apply for further particulars to Messrs. TORRES & LAVALLÉ, Calle Belgrano No. 60. o8 15p d w

To Let—Furnished Apartments.

A fine Sala, with Bedroom adjoining. Also several bedrooms, together or separate.
CALLE DE LA FLORIDA, 253. 3p o8.

NEWHAM & CO.
Nos. 33 and 35 CALLE 25 DE AGOSTO, Montevideo.

Importers of Provisions. Groceries, Wine and Spirits of the best quality. o2, 1m.

For New York.

The well known clipper Barque MANUELA, Is now loading for the above port. For freight or passage, please apply to Messrs. Samuel B. Hale & Co. Signees, or to Henry A. Green & Co. 85 Reconquista. 5p o8

English and French Seminary.
96—Calle Independencia—96 Conducted by Miss M. STUART. At the above institution young ladies are received on moderate terms. A few boys under 10 years of age admitted. Half-boarders can be accommodated. A Musical Professor attends regularly. 1m o8

English Clothing Store.

80—CANGALLO—80. Just received a complete assortment of Men and Boys Clothing of every description 6p o8

On Sale.

Rams and Borregos of the Negrotta. Breed and of a very superior quality. Apply at the Chacra of G. Temperley, Lomas de Zamorra or Calle Cangallo 78. 6p o8

Two Prize Medals.

SANITARY.

A person lately arrived from Europe (Experienced in Sanitary matters) undertakes to cleanse and purify W. C., Cess Pools, &c. &c. by a Chemical process hitherto unknown in this country. N.B.—The above chemical preparation can be had in quantities suitable to the convenience of purchasers, from one pint upwards address W. O. Hotel de l'Harmonie 25 Mayo. 3p o8

Pro Bono Publico.

For the better accommodation of the Citizens of Buenos Ayres and the Community at large; the celebrated Disinfecting Fluid "Nonpareil" can now be had in quantities from One Pint upwards. Pints 20, Quarts 35. CRANWELL & Co. Sole Agents. 6p o7.

Caution!

Messrs. Cranwell & Co., (by appointment) are the only legitimate agents for the Sale of the distinguished Disinfecting Fluid "Nonpareil." 6p o7.

Lessons in English and Spanish.
Given by Daniel Chapman to pupils at their private residences. Apply Calle Peru, 102. On sale at Messrs. Mackern's Book store a new "History of England; or, Royal Arithmetic," in verse, written especially for the use and instruction of Pupils who are learning English History, also for schools, &c. Price \$5. 5p o5

Notice.

The undersigned hereby gives notice that, on this date he has admitted Mr. Thomas D. Peters as a partner in his business of produce brokers, which until now has been carried on in his own name.

The signature of the new firm will be Hughes & Peters.

Buenos Ayres, October 1st, 1864. 6p o4

JOHN HUGHES.

PASSENGERS TO RIO JANEIRO
Will please take notice that Dr. Bourget, naturalist, 115 Rua do Ouvidor, furnishes of several Museums, has the honor to announce to amateurs and persons making collections, that they will find in his depot, birds, butterflies, and insects of every kind, a great assortment of feather flowers, Indian arms of every American and Polynesian tribe.

Dr. BOURGET, naturalist, 115 Rua do Ouvidor. 3 h a x.

BUENOS AYRES BRITISH LIBRARY.

A general meeting of the subscribers to this institution will be held at the Library Rooms on Wednesday, the 12th inst., at eight p.m., to take into consideration the advisability of disposing of a portion of the old and unread books on the shelves, the doing away with the reading rooms, and other important matters.

The committee much regret being obliged to call a meeting for the purposes above named, but the pecuniary affairs of the institution are such as to make it imperative upon them, and they trust a numerous body of subscribers will be present to consider the steps to be adopted most conducive to the well being of the Library. 8p o8

SCOTCH SCHOOL.

PUBLIC NOTICE.
Parents are respectfully informed that, from Monday next, the 10th inst., business will commence at the above Establishment at half-past nine, until further notice.
AUGUSTUS POWELL, Master. 3p o8.

WELLS BECKHAUS & Co.
Wool-Brokers, 173 Calle de las Piedras W&D, Aug 25, 1 y

ALE AND PORTER.

Superior London Ale in

AUCTION.
By URUAIARTE & CO., of an Estancia, at their house, Calle Victoria, No. 140.

On Thursday, the 12th of October, at One o'clock, will be sold, without fail, for cash, an Establishment of Camps, in the Partido de Tordillo, and within three leagues of the Pueblo de Potosí, containing an area of half a league in front by one in depth. The camp is of a superior class, with abundant pasturage, especially good for the rearing of sheep. It has one poblation comprising an azotea house with five rooms, monte corrales, &c., two puestos with ranchos and corrales.

Also, will be sold, at the same time, 2000 Mestiza sheep, bred on the same camp, and belonging to the same proprietor. For further particulars apply to the Auctioneers. sept 21, 18p

Sewing Machines.
Large and varied assortment on hand. Warranted to work well. They are all of the latest and most improved inventions, and of different prices.

JOHN SHAW,
204 Calle Venezuela

NOTICE.
We beg to advise the Public, and our Friends in particular, that we have been appointed, by letter from Messrs. Arthur Guinness, son, and Co., Dublin (copy of which we annex) sole Agents in Buenos Ayres for the sale of their celebrated Extra Stout.

BARRY & WALKER,
97 Calle Defensa.

(COPY.)
"James's Gate Brewery, Dublin, 6th May 1864."

We have appointed Messrs. Barry & Walker sole Agents for the sale of their Porter in Buenos Ayres.

(Signed)
"ARTHUR GUINNESS, SON, & CO." 1 m s 3.

DRAPERY GOODS
A Splendid Assortment of
Suits for the present and coming Season, and selected especially for this Market.

T. FALLON
HIBERNIAN HOUSE,
64, 66, & 68 CALLE PIEDAD. s 11 x.

Remarking fine runs of three and four crosses of Rambouillet blood (Cabaña Imperial breed) on sale at the Chacra of Mr. Latham Camino de Casa Teja partido de Guineles.

For size, weight of fleeces and length of staple, this flock is unsurpassed in the province, and it is precisely the class most desirable for the regeneration of the general run of flocks in the country.

The ewes—dams of the rams offered for sale, averaged at the last clip 9 1/2 lbs. each of prime conditioned wool.

12 p s 25.

To English Sheep Farmers.
To rent, a splendid Estancia, distant 18 leagues to the South, in the Partido de Magdalena, containing 2 square leagues with 27 poblaciones, 40,000 sheep, corrales, montes, &c. The Camp has not one viscachera and is one of the best in all the Province for the rearing of sheep, and to the present no disease has ever been known on it, notwithstanding the bad years; it also contains some thousands of cows.

The whole will be rented in one lot or in parts; or will be sold 5, 10, 15, or 20,000 thousand of the above named sheep.

For further particulars apply at 390 Calle Victoria. s 18 1m d w.

Notice.
The undersigned, Sole Agents in this city for the sale of the celebrated Brandy marked "JULES ROBIN & Co." hereby caution the public that a spurious article in imitation of the genuine is now being offered on sale, the bottles of which are forged with the name of the "aforesaid manufacturers, but are easily detected from the deficiency of their name being branded in the corks and ours as sole agents on each bottle.

Buenos Ayres, July 4th, 1864.

15, 1m JOHN BEST & BROS.

New English Grocery Store.
61—CALLE RECONQUISTA—61.

JAMES HASTINGS.

The undersigned begs to inform the Public that he will open, on or after the 1st Oct., his new and well-assorted Grocery Establishment. Having been for many years in the trade, and enjoying an extensive connection in the Camp, he possesses many advantages over others who have recently started in the same business. His goods are without exception, the most excellent in the River Plate, and defy all competition or rivalry.

J. H., in reminding his Friends by this notice of his reappearance in business, trusts to their patronage and support which hitherto for so many years he enjoyed with profit to himself and satisfaction to the public.

All goods purchased of the undersigned will be despatched to the Plazas and Railways free of charge.

Buenos Ayres Sept 12 1864.

JAMES HASTINGS.

61—Reconquista—61.

s 12 1 m d w

THE QUEEN FIRE AND LIFE INSURANCE COMPANY.

CAPITAL—£2,000,000.

Chief Office, QUEEN INSURANCE BUILDINGS LIVERPOOL.

Agents for Buenos Ayres, Montevideo, and the River Plate, Barbour, Barclay, and Co

CALLE CHACABUCCO, 13.

Sept. 20

CIGARS.

E. RATHJE,

60 CALLE SAN MARTIN 62

WHOLESALE AND RETAIL,

AT MODERATE PRICES,

Fresh arrivals every month.

s 21, x

To Rent.

An Estancia in the partido de Pila 1500 varas front by twenty thousand deep; the land is of an excellent quality and suitable for the rearing of Sheep.

For further particulars apply to 180 Calle Florida. s 15 x.

A LOS ESTANCIEROS.

Cercos de hierro para rodeos, potreros, corrales, chacras etc.

Corrales portátiles con postes de hierro y tablas.

Mojones de hierro.

Bebederos de hierro para ovejas, hacienda vacuna y caballar.

Piletas de hierro batido y de hierro fundido para construcciones.

Maquinas de estrair alambre.

Maquinas de cortar corrales, abrojos, y cepas de caballo; con estas maquinas los Señores Estancieros pueden limpiar sus campos en pocas horas.

Maquinas de sacar agua de los jagüeles funcionando sin caballo, basta con un niño de diez ó doce años para sacar una pipa de agua en dos minutos, se arma y se desarma en poco tiempo y se transporta con facilidad.

En la fabrica de

VAN DE VELDE Hermanos.

B. Ayres, Calle Buen Orden No. 245.

Fire.

COMMERCIAL ASSURANCE COMPANY.

Capital—£2,500,000 fully subscribed.

Agents for Buenos Ayres and the River Plate,

BRANDT SOHN, and CO.,

Calle de la Piedad, 208.

Jl. 1m

TO CAMP PURCHASERS.

GALBRAITH & HUNTER

Have just received per Packet their first delivery of goods suitable for the coming season (direct from the manufacturers) including

Men's Tweed Suits, Pilot Jackets and Vests, Bedford Cord and Cord Pants,

Best Jean Striped Shirts, Blue Shirting Stripes, (best quality) 36-inch

Linen Striped Shirts, White Dress and Crimean Shirts, 8 1/2 x fine

Wool Plaids, Cotton and Linen Ticking, Blankets, Flannels,

Shirtings, Sheetings, &c. &c.

N.B.—As we will receive a fresh supply monthly throughout the Season, our customers may at all times rely on having a good and well assorted Stock to select from, which will be offered at lowest possible cash prices at the

ENGLISH DRAPERY ESTABLISHMENT OF BUENOS AYRES,

49 & 51—Calle Defensa—49 & 51.

RIVER PLATE STEAM-SHIP COMPANY.

LIVERPOOL AND RIVER PLATE DIRECT.

NAMES OF STEAMERS.

LA PLATA,

PARANA,

PARAGUAY,

URUGUAY,

UNA.

One of these Steamers will leave Liverpool for Montevideo and Buenos Ayres on the 1st of each month.

Cargo will be received on board of the steamers 48 hours after their arrival, to be delivered in any part of the United Kingdom, or on the Continent, being forwarded by railway and steamer for account of the Company, the bills of lading being signed with these conditions.

As the object of the Company is to extend and facilitate the existing traffic between Europe and the River Plate, the rates of freight will be very moderate.

Specie and Parcels will be received until the day before the steamers leave.

In order to facilitate immigration to these countries the rates have been reduced as follows—

1st Class.....£35.

2nd ".....£25.

3rd ".....£16.

Return Tickets will be issued for six months at the following rates—

1st Class.....£65.

2nd ".....£45.

3rd ".....£30.

These boats are excellent opportunities for families visiting Europe, more especially when consisting of Ladies and Children, having large ladies' cabin, and carrying an experienced stewardess.

The Steamer Parana will leave this on the 14th of October.

Apply to HENRY A. GREEN & CO., AGENTS,

85 RECONQUISTA.

A DESIRABLE SUMMER RESIDENCE

For Sale, the well-built and commodious dwelling-house known as the "Casa Amarilla," at the entrance of the Boca road.

For particulars apply to Mr. Robert Hunt, at the quinta adjoining. s 23, 15p

Hotel De Genève,

43—Calle Mayo—43.

(formerly Hotel de Commerce.)

This establishment has been got up entirely new, and leaves nothing to be desired in the way of comfort. The proprietor has the honor to announce to the public that he receives pensioners, and offers every convenience of board and lodging for gentlemen or families.

1m s 30

DILIGENCIAS PARA LOBOS Y 25 DE MAYO.

DE SABORIDO Y GARCIA

CON CARUAGES TIRADOS AL PUEBLO

PARA LOBOS

Los dias—2-4-6-8-10-12-14-16-18-20

22-24-26-28-30.

Regresa los dias—1-3-5-7-9-11-13-15

17-19-21-23-25-27-29

To English Travellers.

Englishmen, and others visiting Buenos Ayres, will find every home comfort at the Hotel de la Paix, which is the largest and best Hotel in this city.

Charges are most moderate.

Wines superb

Table d'Hotel on European style.

Board, with room, gas-lights, and attendance, from 5s. to 10s. per day.

HOTEL DE LA PAIX,

(Corner of Calle Cangallo and Calle Reconquista.)

J 26.

SAVINGS BANK.

BANK MAUÁ AND CO.

No. 103 Calle de Cangallo,

BUENOS AYRES.

The immense advantages of Accounts Current are now so generally felt and appreciated in the two great emporiums of the River Plate, Montevideo and Buenos Ayres, that there are very few Merchants who fail to keep one at the bank in which they place the most confidence. The Bank of Mauá and Co. in Montevideo has already provided for the working classes in that city a safe and profitable depositary for their savings.

The sums deposited in that most important institution are daily increasing, and already reach a very large amount.

These advantages have not hitherto been enjoyed in this city by an immense number of clerks, artisans, working men, and servants of all classes and conditions, who are equally interested in putting their savings out at interest, thus providing themselves with a reserve fund in case of need, sickness, or old age, instead of spending them in the immoral gambling, in lottery, and other frivolities.

The Bank of Mauá and Co. of this city, following the noble example of their firm in Montevideo, now offer the same facilities in this city, and will open a Savings Bank at No. 103 Calle Cangallo, from Nine a.m. till Three p.m. on Week Days, and on Sundays and Holidays from Ten a.m. to Twelve m., for the reception of the savings of the classes already mentioned.

The Bank will deliver to each depositor a pass book, in which will be entered the amount deposited and withdrawn.

The depositor is permitted at any time to withdraw the whole or part of the sum deposited; in the former case the interest will be calculated up to date.

The Bank of Mauá and Co. is sufficiently known to the Public by the benefit derived from the course of its operations, which are regulated on the strictest and soundest principles, and always directed to promote the general welfare.

The Bank of Mauá and Co. are also persuaded that this new branch of their business will render immense service to the working classes of Buenos Ayres and its neighbourhood.

Buenos Ayres, September 19, 1863.

P. P. Mauá and Co.

WILLIAM LESLIE

CONDITIONS.

First—The Bank receives at interest any sum from Twenty-five Dollars currency Silver Dollar upwards.

Second—The interest allowed is six per cent. (6 p c) per annum, which is liquidated every six months.

Third—The depositors can at any time retire the whole or part of the money deposited.

Fourth—Once the money deposited exceeds twenty-five thousand dollars currency, or one thousand dollars silver, the depositor, if he wishes, can open an account current, according to the rules established by the Bank.

Fifth—In case the depositor loses his pass book, it can be replaced by another on paying twelve dollars currency, and advertising the loss in the public newspapers.

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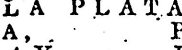
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Second Race, 12 1/2 p.m.

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Third Race, 1 p.m.

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Fourth Race, 3 p.m.

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Fifth Race, 4 p.m.

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Sixth Race, 4 1/2 p.m.